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HR 6...No way!

Dear Editor,

I am writing to express my opposition to HR 6, the Hancock amendment to the Elementary and Secondary Education Act. This amendment would prohibit public schools from having, supporting or referring a student to a program that encourages or accepts homosexuality. The effect of this amendment would be that AIDS and sex education would not include information on same sex transmission. Teachers would not be allowed to refer students who were questioning their [sexual] identity to gay-positive counseling.

If passed, this amendment would only bring violence and hatred to my high school.

Rep. Hancock's amendment violates [the] constitutional right of states to have control over their own curricula. It is just another attempt [by the federal] government to intrude into the rights of individual states [on] how to best serve their citizens.

As a 17 year-old out lesbian, I encourage everyone to oppose HR 6.

Thank you.
Lyn Duff
Inside Out Youth Magazine

Editor's note: On Mar. 22 in the U.S. House of Representatives, an amendment to the Elementary and Secondary School Act (HR 6), sponsored by Mel Hancock (R-Missouri) was diluted by a second degree amendment offered by Jolene Unsoeld (D-Washington), which passed 224-194. After the Hancock Amendment was amended by Unsoeld, the amendment passed by a 301-120 vote. The amended version still prohibits Federal funds to be spent on programs with the "purpose of promoting the homosexual lifestyle." The vote on the Hancock Amendment was cast under the backdrop of a lobbying effort by the Traditional Values Coalition, a California-based anti-gay far right group.

He Said/She Said

"I don't think homosexuality is normal behavior and I oppose the codification of gay rights. But I wouldn't harass them... I wish it could go away..."

George Bush

Chico community pulls together

Dear Editor,

The Board of Directors of Stonewall Alliance in Chico would like to acknowledge the Imperial Sovereign Court of the Czarist Dynasty who's work, dedication, support and commitment often goes unnoticed.

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It is this kind of support that makes us a gay community. If it wasn't for the ISCCD, Stonewall Alliance would have an extremely difficult time maintaining its existence. The next time you hear of the ISCCD holding a fundraiser, go out and support them because they have supported you.

Thank you,
Chuck Voss
Co-Chair, Stonewall, Chico

Teach tolerance at home

Dear Editor,

Re: Al Kielwasser's Media Watch, "Heather has a differing family structure?" [MGW Newspaper, Vol. 17, Iss. 237, Mar. 15, 1994.]

I am compelled to inform Mr. Kielwasser that not everyone who takes exception to the "Children of the Rainbow" curriculum is a bigot as he so offensively suggests. Two cogent arguments against the curriculum immediately spring to my mind. First, very young children do not need to be taught tolerance, it is in their nature. What has to be taught is intolerance, which begins in many homes along with misguided notions of religious morality and misleading misrepresentations of the Bible. The gay community has very little hope of counteracting such tragic child rearing techniques via the public schools, no matter how much effort, money, and political capital we squander on such an endeavor. We must simply hope that as these innocent children become intelligent adults, they will leave their poisonous homophobic indoctrinations behind as most of us have had to do during our maturation processes.

Second, the gay community—with it's obligation to fight extremist right wing pseudo-religious charlatans and the modern holocaust of AIDS—can ill afford to squander our limited resources and political capital on anything as pragmatically impotent as the "Rainbow Curriculum." Amendment 2 was passed by a clear majority of Colorado voters because well funded anti-civil rights activists were able to convince that majority that the gay community has a subversive agenda and wants "special rights" not afforded to the rest of the population. The "Rainbow Curriculum" lends powerful credence to that dogma. Gay men and lesbians are not worried that their own children will not learn tolerance, because tolerance begins at home. What they want is for their views on tolerance and lifestyle to be taught to other people's children via public schools. That is entirely unacceptable, whether it is fundamentalist Nazis fulminating about the holocaust (or lack thereof), or gay and lesbian parents forcing their views on tolerance and lifestyle. Personal morality should be taught at home, facts should be taught in the public schools.

It is time that all members of the gay community and it's friends mobilize our efforts and funds to fight the leviathans of AIDS and civil rights assaults, while forgetting red herrings like the "Rainbow Curriculum." Then tolerance will be the natural response for all reasonable people.

Sincerely,
Andrew Harlow

p.s. I realize my thoughts on this subject are lengthy. However, I hope you will print them since your largely enjoyable publication needs conservative input to lend equilibrium of perspective.

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A witness to the persecution

MGW/Jane Philomen Cleland

The openly homophobic Reverend Innes of the Hamilton Square Baptist church in the Bay Area is confronted by a protestor at San Francisco City Hall late last year. In the letter reprinted below, Permanent Deacon of the Oakland Diocese James F. Campbell shares his experience as a witness to the Reverend Phelps' attempt to disrupt a memorial service for gay author Randy Shilts. Campbell writes, "We shun [the lesbian, gay and bisexual community]. It seems as if...organized religions [are] mesmerized by an unthinking kind of hysteria."

Dear Editor,

I was present with many of you at the memorial service for Randy Shilts on Feb. 22, standing among the predominantly gay and lesbian crowd outside Glide Methodist Church in San Francisco. There were competing emotions in me, the strongest one being admiration and appreciation for the gay community—especially in an atmosphere that the religious bigots from Kansas tried and failed to destroy. The conduct of the crowd represented a class act, and I was uplifted by reading the placards held by many of you. They were about love, acceptance, that God loves everyone equally. But the most poignant one I saw was one that read "Jesus, save us from your followers." It reminded me of what organized religion has done to alienate lesbian, gay and bisexual people. Ignorance and fear have bred hatred and bigotry which, in turn, continues to give rise to discrimination and often violence.

The momentary presence of the Kansans, carrying signs of the most un-Chris-

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UNDER THE LAW

Part I

Is marriage the right choice?

By Eileen S. Gillis
MGW/Staff

In 1987, the Swedish government instituted massive reform of its national marriage code. This effort was designed to protect cohabiting, unmaried couples.

In the United States, many political activists have argued against political efforts to amend existing law to allow lesbian and gay marriage. I agree with these activists and offer the Swedish model as an example.

Sweden's sweeping legislative changes provide us with a model to regulate property rights between unmarried cohabitants and protect our alternative families. Under Swedish law, unmarried couples, called *Sambor*, are awarded rights in property acquired for mutual use during the time they cohabited. Swedish tax and social welfare laws eliminate the distinction between married and unmarried couples, awarding rights and benefits regardless of marital status. All these reforms are specifically extended to homosexuals.

These reforms aim towards accommodating the changing Swedish family structure and support individual choice. In 1973, the Swedish government began its reform efforts by developing "neutrality principles." The tenets of these principles are:

1. The individuals freedom to shape his [her] own life should be respected. Thus, choice of the form of cohabitation and choices of ethical norms should not be interfered with.

2. Marriage has a central place in family law, but the laws should not create unnecessary difficulties or inconveniences for those who have children and raise families without marrying.

These principles embody a viewpoint that does not value married status over unmarried status. Instead, partnership with another is encouraged within a framework that recognizes the central place of family, but reflects a lack of governmental interference with the form of family. This structure leaves unmarried couples free to govern their own relationships.

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MGW photographer holds exhibition

MGW/Steven Foust

Professional photographer Deborah Goldstein held a reception at Luna's Cafe to exhibit her Contrast and Contradictions show depicting the American Southwest and Mexico. Info: 448-1303.

Witness: 'fags must die'

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tian and violent kind (e.g., "Fags must die" and "Shilts burns in hell") only heightened my awareness of the persecution we have been a part of toward the gay community. I realize that this group of people from Kansas represents only a few misfits who have wrongfully appropriated the label of "Christian" to give vent to their inner venom. But I would suggest that those of us in the straight community who do nothing, who turn away from this civil rights issue and who are silent in the face of open discrimination and violence also share the responsibility for the exclusion of a group of people (you) from our communities and for the crimes committed against you, simply for being who you are. By keeping you outside, we have deprived ourselves of valuable perspectives.

I strongly believe that lesbian, gay and bisexual people have great gifts for us all, if we could but see and accept them. You model for us strength in the face of adversity and oppression. You face us with some of the inconsistencies within our own value systems. You model for us the struggle to know oneself, to overcome all the baggage of the assumptions about who someone says we should be. You teach us much about building relationships from the ground up, with no preconceived notions about how to "be" with each other as a couple. You show us how to be fully human, how to value diversity, how to cope with a deadly epidemic with courage, and how to live with grace in a society that isolates you. Your inability to publicly show the tenderness and affection that you feel for each other (the same as felt by any couple in love) is a lesson for us as well, for we also fail often to show each other tenderness and affection, and it costs us both. And yet we shun you. It seems as if large organizations, like organized religions, seem to be mesmerized by an unthinking kind of hysteria.

I am embarrassed for the organizational part of religions which systemically discriminate against you and which make welcoming you conditional upon meeting certain behavioral demands. This diminishes us all and reduces religion to mere observance of behavioral norms, set by heterosexual (and often celibate) men with no authentic input, or input that has been discredited long ago. At local congregational levels there can be welcome and acceptance (and in fact there are welcoming communities...but not very many, and they depend usually upon the attitude of the pastor/ruling body). Most organizational hierarchies make official policies that separate, isolate and discriminate, and it is discouraging not to have a clear approach to facilitate needed change.

Yet I cannot see how they will ever change to admit new information and broader perspectives (about the Bible, sexuality, family) unless they become "surrounded" by local parishes, communities and congregations who practice the Gospel (if they are Christian) and who stand for understanding, acceptance and welcome. Perhaps this is the way. But for this to happen, we must educate ourselves at local levels, accept the gifts you offer to us and confront discrimination and bigotry with information and inclusion (bigots need love, too—more than the rest of us). In this way, perhaps we can see policy-making bodies change so that inclusion, integration and understanding would start to be the basis for their policies and proclamations, instead of alienation, conditional love and discrimination.

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COMMENTARY

Are schools protecting gay students?

Bob Rowe
Guest Commentary

A recent study conducted by Harris Scholastic Associates emphasizes that among high school students the worst type of harassment, whether sexual or not, relates to homosexuality. To be called "fag", "dike" or similar names is considered by students to be the most abhorrent harassment with which one can be assaulted; worse than "lard", nerd, crook, "nigger", wop" or other ethnic slurs, and even worse than physical assault. The conclusion was dramatically exemplified by a fifteen year old student who proclaimed that he's eager to make new friends "but not with a fag. I would hate that."

With such facts in mind it's not surprising that teenage boys and girls who experience homosexual thoughts and/or exhibit what are considered to be stereotypical homosexual characteristics often become extremely depressed, even to the point of becoming suicidal. So what are Sacramento area schools doing to protect homosexual students, or those youths perceived to be homosexual, from debilitating harassment?

Fortunately the answer is not entirely negative. A few high schools such as Center and Folsom have taken commendable steps to protect youths from all forms of harassment. These schools are applying laws and Education Code regulations concerning sexual harassment to protect gays and to discipline culprits. Unfortunately Center and Folsom are in the minority. San Juan School District, despite efforts of the Lambda Community Center and Parents and Friends of Lesbian and Gays, has been extremely slow in protecting its harassed students. Not until January, 1994, did San Juan take its first step to inform administrators and counselors of the psychological and physical damage done to gay youth. The district still lacks a plan to educate all youth effectively.

Programs such as "Project 10" which has been implemented in the Los Angeles Unified School District, and "The Invisible Student at Risk" which was developed by Dr. Marty Rogers, a California State University Sacramento professor, are geared not only to educate school personnel but to reach all students directly. They emphasize the trauma with which gay students must deal. Equally important, they stress that non gay students who resort to harassment of gays and of those youths who are perceived to be gay, are acting in ignorance fostered by at least tacit approval from adults. They too must be educated to offset the scape goat mentality with which they are afflicted.

Sacramento Unified School District has taken initial steps to educate faculty members and students. Certain student groups have invited gay youths to discuss their tribulations and sexuality. An Elk Grove District high school psychology class invited a panel of two adults and two teenagers, all of whom are homosexual, to explain the misconceptions and bigotry with which they must deal. These efforts, though extremely limited, are important for the welfare of gay and non gay teenagers. They help homosexual youths to accept sexuality without guilt and they help non gay youths to recognize the bigoted nature of their own behavior. Comprehensive programs addressing harassment of gay students in most local high schools remain non existent or at the best inadequate. Ask your school district what it intends to do to protect our youth.▼

UNDER THE DOME

Gay positive candidate challenges Pombo

by Marghe Covino
MGW/Staff

San Joaquin Valley gays and lesbians have a congressional candidate in the 11th district who is a strong challenger to radical right wing freshman Richard Pombo.

MGW/Matthew Whitley

Congressional candidate Randy Perry is challenging incumbent Richard Pombo in the 11th district.

Randy Perry, with 11 years of legislative experience as a lobbyist for the Peace Officers Research Association of California (PORAC), is a confident, decisive candidate for the important congressional seat. Perry combines his law enforcement advocacy with progressive views on labor, AIDS and gay/lesbian issues.

In his work with law enforcement, Perry is an anti-crime advocate; he fought for mandatory seat belt laws and worked to pass tough penalty bills ranging from assaults on the elderly to using children to sell drugs.

Perry has attended AIDS conferences and drafted the first proposal for AIDS and the Emergency Worker. He initiated the first workshops and videos on AIDS, Law Enforcement and the Emergency Worker. He is strong in his belief that being gay and lesbian is not a choice but genetic predisposition.

Although he is open to suggestion and is eager to listen and learn, in most matters Perry is decisive. He says his opponent, Pombo, sits on the fence on major issues

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Voters and the gay agenda

The National Gay and Lesbian Task Force (NGLTF) released a survey of national and local polls, focus group research, and other articles measuring voters' opinions about gay-related issues. The document was issued to assist activists battling state and local anti-gay ballot measures.

Information gathered from dozens of polling organizations included the Election and Survey Unit of CBS News, NBC, the Gallup Organization, Princeton Survey Research Associates, EDK Associates, Mason-Dixon Political/Media Research, Inc., and the Roper Center for Public Opinion Research, as well as numerous articles from both national and local newspapers that covered public opinion studies and/or initiative and referenda campaigns.

In assessing the relationship between public attitudes towards lesbians, gay men and bisexuals and the community's political strategies, the survey's author, Susan Hibbard, NGLTF Campaign Specialist, offered recommendations to organizers battling anti-gay measures: Discrimination and equal rights are terms gay organizers must use within the debate. Overwhelmingly, voters opposition to discrimination has driven them to oppose anti-gay measures. The public most strongly objects to housing and job discrimination. Three-quarters of the U.S. public supports equal rights in employment opportunities for lesbians, gay men, and bisexuals.

Organizers must clarify and quantify the real nature and extent of discrimination against gay people—only then can voters understand the need for legal remedy. People abhor discrimination, but it appears that the public, at least when relating to groups about whom they hold negative opinions, constructs a narrow definition of discrimination that warrants remedy, Discrimination is redefined only as unequal treatment in housing and employment.. Although many people believe gay people are discriminated against *in some way,* they do not feet that gay people face discrimination of a kind that needs remedy. A New York State focus group leader read participants three newspaper stories about job and housing discrimination. Participants were surprised that such overt discrimination exists and that, absent protective legislation, it is legal.

Short-term victories will more likely result from reinforcing the public's opposition to discrimination than from trying to change the majority's lack of acceptance. Conversely, long-term victories will not be won without increasing public acceptance. Anti-gay violence, either physical or emotional, will not be eradicated successfully unless the widespread negative judgments are reversed.

Polling data identifies the power of the lesbian, gay and bisexual community's ongoing encouragement and organizing of individuals to come out. Coming out lets more of the public know that they are acquainted with a lesbian, gay or-bisexual person and polling shows that this personal knowledge makes people feel more positively toward gay people. Campaigns fighting discriminatory ballot measures are counterproductive if they accept the public's stated distaste for gay visibility and discourage openness about the community.

In both the short- and the long-term, organizers must educate about equal rights and civil rights. The concept of "special rights" is the strongest weapon of opponents of equal rights. The discussion of equality and rights takes place in the language of scarcity, in which assistance to one group means diminished opportunities for another. The public objects to discrimination but also rejects granting preference to others.

In the short run, organizers must clarify that protection against discrimination is not a "special right." In the long run, the larger questions must be addressed. Why do so many people confuse the concepts of protection against discrimination, affirmative action, quotas, preferential treatment, special rights, and minority status? Perhaps lesbian, gay and bisexual organizers should join with other minorities to launch an education project that will untangle the concepts of civil rights and tackle the fears and prejudices related to race, class, gender and sexual orientation embedded in the confusion.

Lesbians, gay men and bisexuals face a U.S. public that mainly sees them, or their "lifestyle," as unacceptable or immoral. The high level of national disapproval chronicled by polling data ranges from 50% to 77%, probably depending on the poll question's terminology.

The high level of national disapproval is accompanied by an equally strong or even stronger belief that discrimination is wrong. Approximately three-quarters of the U.S. public believes that gay men and lesbians should have equal rights in terms of employment opportunities.

Much of the public holds conflicting beliefs about gay people in terms of legality and morality. (i.e.: "Homosexuality is wrong, but it should be legal.")

Gender, age, education level, and acquaintance with lesbians, gay men and bisexuals are all linked to attitudes about discrimination and protective legislation. Women, younger adults, people with higher levels of education, and those who know they have gay friends or family members all tend to oppose discrimination more strongly and to be more likely to support protective legislation.

People are confused about the relationship between anti-discrimination, protective legislation, affirmative action, employment quotas, preferential treatment, special rights, and minority status.

Messages about discrimination have been cited most often by voters as the primary reason for opposing anti-gay measures. Info: NGLTF, 202-332-6483.▼

Perry: no fence sitter

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like NAFTA. "The 11th District needs a leader, someone to knock fences down — not sit on them," he says. "I feel I have a good chance to beat him," Perry said, "even though I do have a primary battle to deal with first." Michael Sprague, a Democrat who has never held office, is running against Perry in the primary.

Perry points out that before he was elected to Congress, Pombo only had the experience of 9 months on the city council in Tracy. "I know they'll try to talk about me being an 'insider,'" Perry says, "but I'll put my experience and effectiveness up against that. I've carried bills for children, safety, cops, and seniors as well as labor issues. I've experienced the good and the bad, I've learned what works and what doesn't in my 11 years of experience. And I know Pombo just doesn't have it inside him to be effective."

At PORAC, Perry represents nearly 40,000 rank and street cops and enjoys their support for his candidacy. He adamantly supports a ban on assault weapons, saying, "Assault weapons were created to hunt people, not animals, and as such they have no place in our society." He supports education policies which will enhance the quality of schools and a health care system which will assist senior citizens. "While my opponent has voted to cut Medicare for our seniors, I believe seniors should be entitled to the benefits they have earned and to a health care system that we can all turn to," he said.

MGW/Matthew Whitley

Randy Perry

Perry is clear on his disenchantment with Pombo. "Voting no, as my opponent often does, is not the answer. When it comes to violence, the long term battle against crime, when it comes to education and to youthful offenders, to the protection of small business too many in California hear my opponent voting 'no.' It's simply not the answer. Voting yes for California and for putting the country back on the right track, is the right answer. And there are many people who agree with us and who don't agree with Richard Pombo."

Perry was born in the Delta town of Antioch and was graduated from CSU Chico with a degree in Political Science and also holds a paralegal certificate. He is married to Fran, a former actress and the couple have two children, daughter McKenna, two and a half, and son Maxwell, 3 months and they live in Stockton. In spite of his busy work and campaign schedule he is definite about allocating some special time for the Perry family's favorite activity —camping.

To contact Perry's campaign call office (916) 452-1994, or write P.O. Box 548, Stockton, CA 95201.▼

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MEDIA WATCH

By Al Kielwasser
GLAAD/SFBA

Thanks for Hanks

As everyone knows, actor Tom Hanks gave a powerfully-affirmative acceptance speech at this year's Academy Awards - the most-watched television program on earth that evening. To thank hanks for thanking "gay Americans", write him c/o Richard Lovett, Creative Artists Agency, 983 Wilshire Blvd., Beverly Hills, CA 90212.

Radio Activity in Melbourne

Australia's first lesbian and gay radio station --"Joy Melbourne" - began broadcasting on December 1, World AIDS Day. So far, station staff report, things are going great.

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Drop a supportive line to "Joy Melbourne", P.O. Box 907, South Melbourne, 3205, Australia; tel. 61-3-690-0907.

Truth Washes Out

The mainstream media seem bent on promoting a second wave of homophobic AIDS hysteria and, once again, gay bath houses are at the center of the controversy. This hysterical coverage has been recently given a boost by Mayor Frank Jordan. Responding to plans by The Steamworks - an all-male bath house in Berkeley - to set up shop in San Francisco, Jordan issued an official condemnation of gay sex clubs.

In his statement on bath houses, Jordan claims that "bath houses contributed to the spread of AIDS in a major way in the 1980s. We have gone down that road before." We have also learned something about safer sex education in the last decade, an evolution that Jordan ignores. Jordan - along with most of the press - also ignores The Steamworks extensive AIDS/HIV educational program, which is actually superior to the AIDS education provided inmost of our public schools.

Most surveys suggest that private bedrooms - not public bath houses - are the primary site of HIV infection. The debate over bath houses should not be waged on the ground of prejudice, but fact.

Unfortunately, Jordan's official statement on bath houses ended on a particularly callous note: "It would be unconscionable for me to support this concept," the Mayor, said, "When a person has been tested positive for HIV it costs $102,000 per patient for a lifetime of care." Presumably, the Mayor would be less concerned if people just started dying for free.

Thoughts on the issue should be sent to the editor of your daily paper, and to Frank Jordan, Room 200, City Hall, San Francisco, CA 94102; tel. 415-554-6141.

Does Mel know you?

Mel White made an appearance on the March 20th episode of *60 Minutes*. White is a former ghost writer for the super-stars of bigotry (Ollie North, Pat Robertson, Jerry Falwell and Billy Graham). Since coming out of the closet, however, White has campaigned against fundamentalist, right-wing hypocrisy.

While Mel White's efforts are worthy, he ended his *60 Minutes* interview with a self-loathing statement. When asked if he'd rather be heterosexual, White replied: "Certainly, I'd rather be straight. I don't know a gay or lesbian person in this country that would not rather be straight."

Obviously, Mel needs to make some new friends. Unfortunately, his statement was broadcast on one of the nation's most popular news shows. Alternative points of view should immediately be sent to: Don Hewitt, Executive Producer, *60 Minutes*, 524 West 57th Street, 9th Floor, New York, NY 10019; tel. 212-975-4321, fax 212-975-1519.

Idiot Librarian

The March-April issue of the magazine *Video Librarian* contains a review of Gay Rights, Special Rights, a collection of hate and lies produced by the homophobes of the Traditional Values Coalition. *Video Librarian* purports to be in the business of providing relatively objective reviews for use by library professionals, but the magazine's review of Gay Rights, Special Rights was anything but informed.

According to the reviewer: "It would be easy to dismiss Gay Rights, Special Rights as another rapid right-wing piece of propaganda, except for the serious and valid argument at its core. Should gays and lesbians be accorded minority group status and thereby gain civil rights protections." However, the reviewer moans, "it's hard to focus on the intellectual aspects of the argument when you're looking at a pair of idiotic exhibitionists in drag French kissing along the boulevard." The reviewer also states: "I can sympathize with parents who are concerned about (homosexual) information being included in the grade school curriculum."

Send much-needed feedback to Randy Pitman, Publisher/Editor, *Video Librarian*, PO 2725, Bremerton, WA 98310.

We must confront homophobia to cure it! To notify the Gay & Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation of any defamatory media coverage, or to request GLAAD membership information, write to GLAAD/SFBA, 514 Castro Street, Suite B, San Francisco, CA 94114, 415-861-4588; fax, 415-861-4893.▼

BOOKS

Outing: Shattering the Conspiracy of Silence

By Candie Leigh White
MGW/Staff

***Outing: Shattering the Conspiracy of Silence*, Warren Johansson, MA, Harrington Park Press, NY.**

Harrington Park Press of New York has just released a revealing insightful book that deals with the highly controversial issue and practice of "outing." *Outing: Shattering the Conspiracy of Silence*, was researched and written by Warren Johansson, MA, a Senior Research Fellow of the Gay Academic Union in New York City and William A. Percy, PhD, Professor of History at the University of Massachusetts at Boston.

Outing offers one of the most compelling and historical accounts of the practice of outing since the beginning of dated time with an emphasis on the present day controversies surrounding this ageless nemesis and why Johansson and Percy feel it should be continued.

Regardless of any subjective bias for or against outing this book will steer your thoughts in directions never before imagined. Until this book the mere mention of outing sent giant cracks through the middle of the gay community. Proponents might yell with shouts of enthusiasm and accomplishment knowing that another unwilling individual has joined the rapidly growing family of bisexuals and homosexuals across the country. Whether by the individuals own desire or through the scandalous activities of members of the gay community who have "found them out" and exposed the individual to the rest of the world they are now out of the closet. There are those who oppose the practice of outing viewing it as barbaric and uncivilized; a devaluing act that takes away an individual's right to privacy and the security that being in the closet has afforded them until now. Whichever side one values, the practice of outing has been around for centuries and has been a dichotomy in the gay community that always threatens to break the bond that is necessary to the survival of homosexuals in a world filled with fear and hatred.

Johansson and Percy clearly outline the changes that have taken place in and around the gay community for centuries. In the first two chapters Johansson and Percy enlighten us to the many homosexuals and bisexuals that have littered our history books in name, but never in complete truth. People such as Constantine, Plato, Mark Anthony, Shakespeare and Boticelli were known to be or had homosexual affairs. Some were exposed unwillingly through anti-sodomy laws of their time and some escaped persecution by virtue of their own fame and influence. Regardless of the outcome of

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The Body of Love

Reviewed by Elisabeth Pyle
MGW/Staff

***The Body of Love*, Tee Corrine, Editor, Banned Books, 1993, 133 pages, $9.95 paperback.**

Banned Books in Austin, Texas, provides us and Tee Corrine another opportunity to present some of today's undiscovered (or re-discovered) erotic lesbian short stories with a platform to entertain and enthrall.

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Trouble in Transylvania

Reviewed by Elisabeth Pyle
MGW/Staff

***Trouble in Transylvania*, Barbara Wilson, Seal Press, 1993, 277 pages, $18.95 hardback.**

I just learned more about the Romanian-Hungarian ethnic rivalry than I wanted to know.

I wanted to read a Cassandra Wilson mystery as good as *Gaudi Afternoon*.

I was disappointed.▼

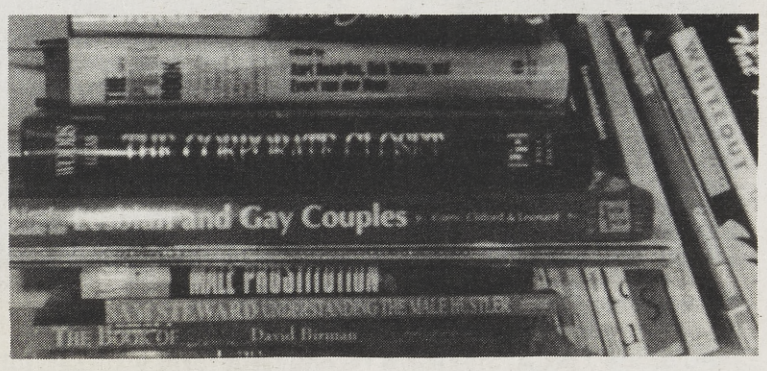
Blood Lavender

Reviewed by Elisabeth Pyle
MGW/Staff

***Blood Lavender*, Antoinette Azolakov, Banned Books, 1993, 148 pages, $8.95 paperback.**

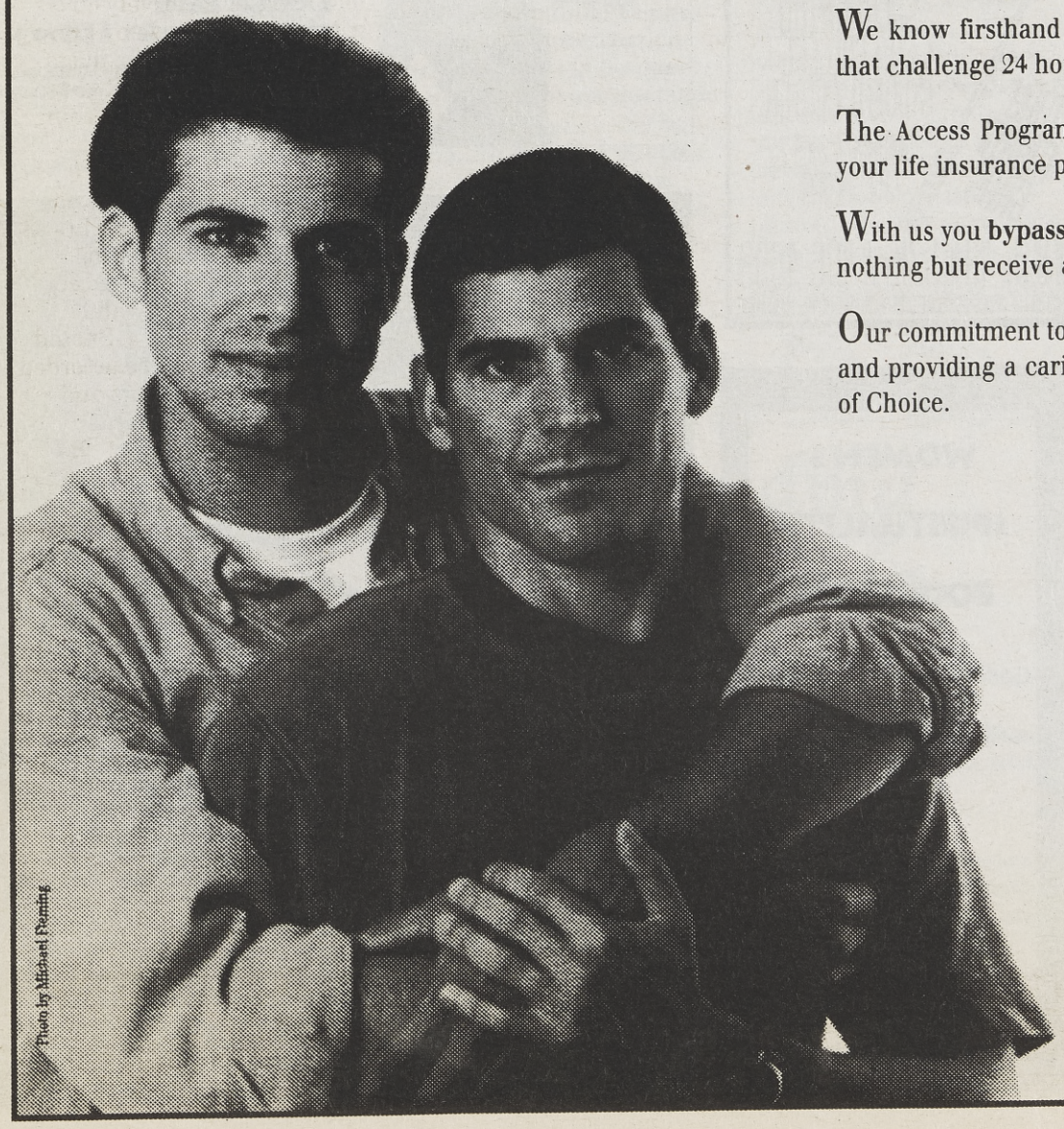
The second offering in the T.D. Renfro detective series is delightful. If you have a pension for southern humor, lesbian mysteries and relationship entanglements, this will be a winner on your winter list.

T.D. is a psychotherapist whose lover, the lovely June, is off in Nacogdoches pursuing a graduate degree in forestry



(yes, there are forests in Texas). T.D. is less than thrilled with the situation but when June calls to tell T.D. that she has been named a suspect in a murder, T.D. comes to her rescue.

Full of angst and southern banter, Antoinette Azolakov, captures the essence of mystery, romance and growth in relationships. This novel, replete with countless who's-on-first moments, is worth the effort to find a quiet afternoon to pamper yourself with the story of other peoples' turmoil.▼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Representation key to gay issues

By George M. Raya
MGW/Staff

Project Community Service will actively seek full participation of the gay community in the civic affairs of Sacramento City and County government . The project is being organized by the River City Democratic Club (RCDC).

MGW/Erich Mathias

Sacramento City Councilmember Darrell Steinberg at the River City Democratic Club (RCDC) 5th Anniversary party held at the YWCA. Steinberg recently put forth a successful measure that allows for bereavement leave for domestic partners among the Sacramento Employment and Training Agency (SETA). Steinberg told MGW Newspaper that the measure was a "small but significant step" for the lesbian, gay and bisexual community. "It's a foot in the door toward full recognition and benefits for domestic partners."

MGW/Erich Mathias

Steinberg, Peter Keat of the Sacramento Municipal Utilities District (SMUD) Board and acting Secretary of State Tony Miller at the RCDC anniversary party. In a survey of voters, Miller was shown to hold 20% of Democratic votes compared with Michael Woo's 25% and Gwen Moore's 19%. Miller will be the guest at a reception/dinner at Vince's Restaurant in San Francisco on Apr. 21 and again at the home of A.J. Alfieri, also in San Francisco, on Apr. 22. Info: 447-5101.

Vacancies on boards, commissions and committees appointed by the City Council and the County Board of Supervisors will be identified. Gay men and lesbians will be informed about opportunities for participation on these bodies. Qualified applicants will actively be sought to apply for these opportunities for community service. Lastly, RCDC will mobilize community support for gay and lesbian applicants.

Currently, the Board of Supervisors is in the process of reappointing local realtor Jayne Rountree to a second term on the Natomas Community Planning Advisory Council.

Applicants will soon be sought for appointment to the County Health Council. The purpose of this council is to advise the Health Department and the Board of Supervisors on health service matters. There are five seats to be filled by consumer representatives, one of whom shall be from the gay/lesbian community. The application filing period will be from Apr. 25 to May 6.

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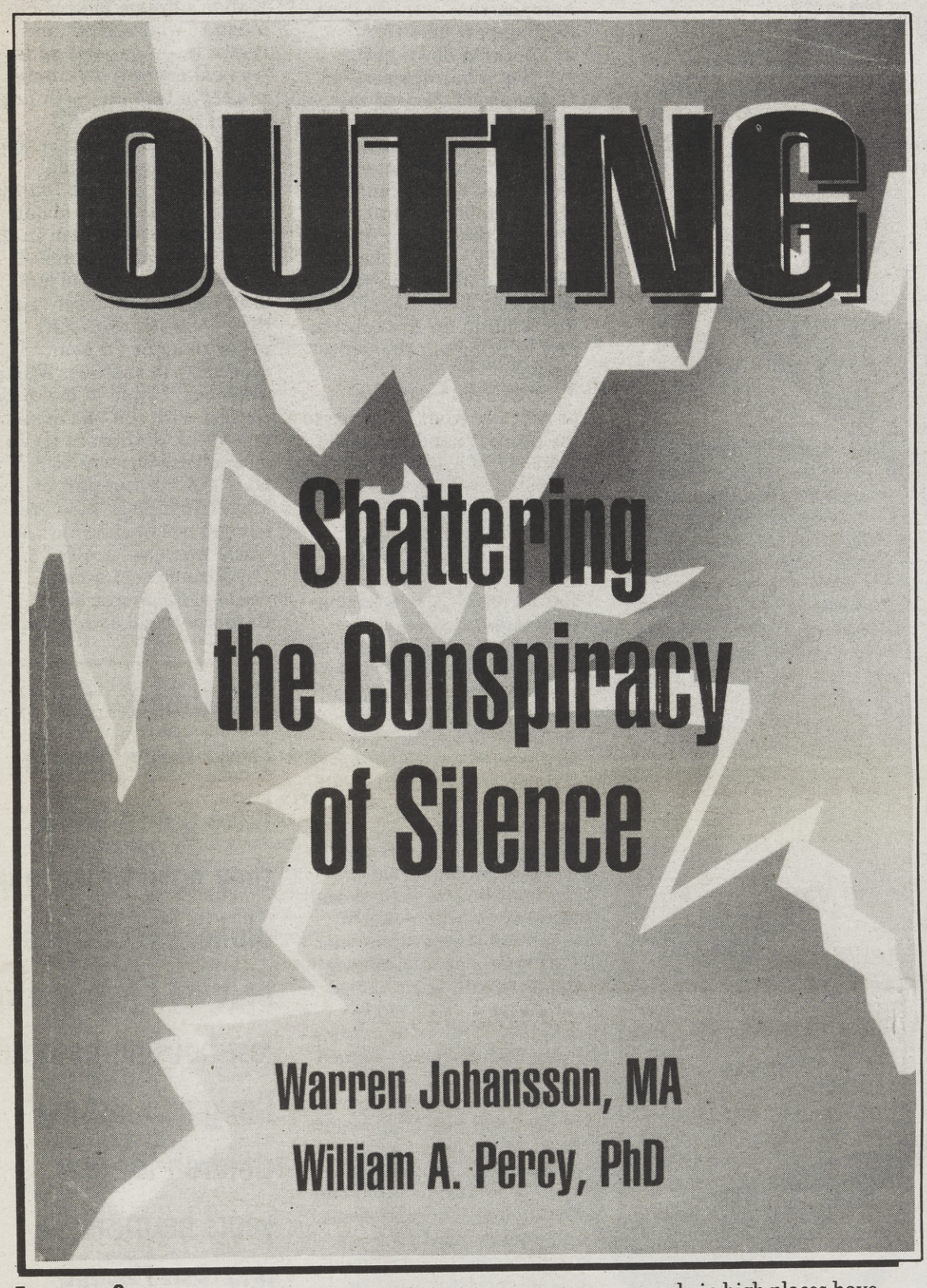
Outing: a guide to alternative thoughts



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their exposure it was never safe for them to be open and the truth about their lives is never taught to our children. Johansson and Percy claim this is doing our youth an injustice, both in the truthful teachings of our history and the possible encouragement it would provide young adults who may be bisexual or homosexual yet feel alienated because they have no historical role models. This same justification by Johansson and Percy follows throughout the book.

The ideology of same sex love is explored through the thoughts and writings of authors, politicians and psychologists up through the 1990s. Through these ideas Johansson and Percy offer reasons why it has been so difficult for gays to be recognized as competent, intelligent, normal human beings. They show the persecution gays have endured for centuries and how we are the only minority group that still has no promise of civil protection under federal or state law. Any rights we achieve can be repealed at any time. Johansson and Percy state many instances whereby people in high places have accused others of being homosexuals as a way of discrediting them. This occurred in Biblical times, medieval times, the McCarthy era and still occurs today. The authors solution to this is to reveal bisexuals and homosexuals who are in high places, whether as politicians, well known members of the business community or actors and authors. By revealing homosexuals to be like everyone else the negative stigmas would eventually dissipate and threats of exclusion or discredidation would no longer be valid.

Johansson and Percy quote the late author Randy Shilts who said a "truism to people active in the gay community is that the greatest impediments to homosexuals' progress is not heterosexuals, but closeted homosexuals".

Although it is clear that Johansson and Percy support the practice of outing they offer equal arguments on both sides of the issue. By allowing the reader to sort through the vast amount of historical facts and information *Outing* becomes more of a guide to alternative thoughts and action than a biased compilation of literal brainwashing. The authors seek to enlighten the reader of the positive aspects of outing by appealing to our inner sense of duty to our community. Their theory is similar to the feminists who encourage women not to settle for just voting rights, but to keep pushing for complete equality. Although gays have come a long way we are not even close to complete equality. The theory and practice of outing is a double-edged sword that threatens to rip into the small safety zone that gays have established in today's society. The same practice now present in the military, "it's okay to be gay as long as nobody knows, is not good enough anymore. *Outing* does not condone the malicious attacks and attempts to slander closeted homosexuals, nor does it try to dissuade the reader from their own ideas. What it does do is offer a lot of explanation to years of myths and false information that have fed the negative stereotype of homosexuals. The right to privacy is the biggest complaint the opposition has to outing and it is an extremely valid complaint. Johansson and Percy address this very delicate subject with honesty and compassion. At the same time, they shatter the facade of protection that keeps many gays in the closet by allowing the reader never before published information that has kept the gay community naive to the hypocrisy and prejudice that keeps us treated as second class citizens.

Outing is a must read for all homosexuals and bisexuals and for anyone who cares about our community. Regardless of how you feel about the practice of outing, this book will give you new insights.▼

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Area woman visits Camp Sister Spirit

By Marghe Covino
MGW/Staff

Sacramento's Lucy Galindo sipped caffe mocha on a coffee shop patio as she told the story of her work visit to Camp Sister Spirit, a feminist/lesbian school and work camp under siege by residents of Ovett, Mississippi.

MGW/Linda Birner
Lucy Galindo of Crazy Razor visited Brenda & Wanda Henson at Camp Sister Spirit in Mississippi.

"We just got back from the grocery store which is about 30 minutes away by car and I dropped Pam [a caretaker at Camp Sister Spirit] off so she could keep watch at the gate. I went on up to the house to put the groceries away and that's when they shot at her."

"I feel displaced," Galindo said, "it's so strange to be back [in Sacramento]. I'm going back as soon as I can, I'm committed to going back to help them [Brenda and Wanda Henson] make a stand for all of us."

She told a tale of unrelenting toil, tension and hatred but the humor in some of the situations came through. The women got up at 6 a.m. had breakfast at 8 and after Galindo did a few haircuts they went to work digging post holes for fencing or knocking down barns.

"I'm a hairdresser," Galindo said, "I used to giggle at the idea of my customers seeing me in a goggles with a blowtorch cutting tin for the fence." Galindo told of meeting Ben Chaney, the brother of slain civil rights worker, James Chaney, and said he suspects that even the police are just waiting for the opportunity to bring out the white sheets.

"We need to always protect the front entrance to the property and along the property line of Ray Tucker's property because he's threatened to kill Percy, the Henson's pet watchdog," Galindo said.

"Wanda is a genius," Galindo said, "she's having the fence put three feet inside their property line so if someone even tries to look over the fence it'll be trespassing."

Galindo's feelings of displacement were understandable as she told about the tension and ugliness involved in something as simple as grocery shopping. "I was standing in the checkout line with Pam and there was a whole line of women in the next line just staring and openly talking about us with open hatred and disgust. It's hard to imagine. Then another time I was with a woman named Tanya and a little baby in a grocery cart began to coo and smile at her so Tanya began to coo back. There was a whole line of people who were upset about it and one woman kept trying to come over and get the mother's attention so that she could protect her baby from us. I just kept staring at her and she'd back off but then she'd try again—I guess my reputation preceded me and she got intimidated and left us alone," Galindo said.

"It's a powerful feeling when you know you're doing something positive," she said. "They're [the Hensons] not going to give in because they are trying to make a point about the big picture—what's happening to gays and lesbians throughout the country—like the killings in Texas, Oregon and the initiatives and so on. It's wonderful to see the support they're getting from gay men and very disappointing to me to see how little support they're getting from lesbians," Galindo said.

Galindo laughed as she told about Wanda's intention to start the Camp Sister Spirit Bakery. Doing a takeoff on the locals who call the women "les-buns," Wanda's dream bakery has a menu of white, black and brown les-buns—but adds "the bakery will definitely not serve les-buns with nuts in 'em."

While cutting tin at the local junkyard Galindo overheard the owner "on the phone and he spoke about African-American men in the most demeaning terms—I was embarrassed. He just used the N-word freely and then even some others I never thought I'd hear, especially in the '90s. When I came out, I tried to make eye contact with the two men and speak to them to try to sympathize but was told later that in that part of Mississippi black men are trained not to even look at white women—or else."

Galindo said a much vaunted Jamboree and Barbecue, held at a public school as a fundraiser for Mississippians for Traditional Values, was attended by about "30 adults and lots of children. So it wasn't what I'd call a rousing success. But it was the same night Pam was shot at and even though she gave the police the description of the man and the car and told them where he lives they still didn't believe it," saying they had to investigate further.

"I'm trying to get [the Henson's] to come to Sacramento," Galindo said. "For now I'm concentrating on sending them packages. I didn't realize how much they were doing without."

Info: Lucy Galindo, 455-9509.▼

> **"It's time for this to stop; these people have got to learn they have to leave us alone. I've lost jobs because I'm gay. I've lost housing because I'm gay. I lost my children for four years because I'm gay. But I'm not going to lose anything else. I'm not getting off that land because I'm gay."**
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An interview with photographer Joan Greenfield

At First Blush...

By MJ McKean-Reich
MGW/Business Editor

Joan Greenfield is a photographer with a unique line of greeting cards--*First Blush Cards.* She possesses a clear understanding of how the gay community is evolving. We recently had the opportunity to interview her and scheduled several hours together.

MGW Newspaper: Experts agree niche marketing is the wave of the future, but some niches are better than others. Why did you feel the time was right for a line of greeting cards geared to lesbians?

Joan Greenfield: I'd become a little frustrated. I was constantly searching for the right cards and always had to settle for less. There was literally nothing available for women. And that's when it came to me. I thought, I do photography. I like greeting cards. I'll do a line of cards for lesbians.

MGW: That's it? You knew nothing about the card business?

JG: I was totally oblivious to how the card business worked. I was successful in a previous business so I knew how business itself worked. And marketing dental stuff, but that's my background...so I just started on my merry way. It took 7 or 8 months to come up with the first 6 images, and we produced our first line two years ago in June.

MGW: How many people were involved?

JG: Well, I was involved as the photographer, the marketer, the you-know-everything-we needed. I had one other person, a prize-winning journalist. She would do lighting, and I would help. Now people come in to package the cards, and I have a public relations person. We got all of our friends to be models. The thing was--they all had to be gay.

MGW: Why was that?

JG: The first images were so different from what it meant to be stereotypically lesbian that I was afraid I'd be accused of not using real lesbians.

MGW: And were you?

JG: That's precisely the first thing I was accused of. I was stunned At first, stores wouldn't take the cards because they were not politically correct. And I was accused of *heterosexualizing* lesbians.

MGW: Did you learn that from the stores or did you get letters?

JG: I started marketing the cards around in California...and I had my head bitten off about ten times. I've never believed in being politically correct. I've always thought that we should be who we are. We don't have to fit into some kind of box. There are staunch feminists who still believe in Birkenstocks and hairy legs, and that is totally fine if that is where you want to be. I think a lot of that is left over from when people felt they had to combat mostly male heterosexual images of what a woman should be. I think it's changed. Some people describe my cards as being for 'lipstick lesbians.'

MGW: Besides that initial rejection, did you have any additional problems introducing the product?

Courtesy/Drake Patton

Photographer Joan Greenfield creates and distributes First Blush Cards. Greenfield's photography has appeared in The Advocate, On Our Backs and MGW Newspaper.

JG: There were three issues in particular. First, I had to show people that there were now cards for gay women. Second, I had to battle prejudice from certain areas. And finally, I had to let people know that it was OK to buy cards with lesbian images.

MGW: Why do you think lesbians were initially reluctant to buy cards that reflected their own image?

JG: When you're working with people who've never had something, and you give it to them, it takes a while to click. People would look at the cards and say, 'Ooo! These are really cool!' And I'd say, 'Would you consider buying them?' 'Oh, well what would I do with them?' 'Well have you ever bought cards before?' 'Yeah.' 'Well?' You know, it was this whole education process.

MGW: OK, I see.

JG: There were a few other lesbian card lines out there. Somebody would produce two or three images and put them out and the company would die in a few months. I think we survived because we were willing to educate and put the money, time, and energy into it. I'm one of those 'it's going to happen or I'm going to die trying' people. I gave myself five years and it took two years to break through the barriers: It's OK to be lesbians, it's OK to have cards, it's OK to buy them, and it's OK to sell them. And that has finally happened.

MGW: It's interesting to hear about the issues you've faced. Was there a reaction from the straight press?

JG: Oh yeah. Imagine being at a show in San Francisco and having people come up and say, 'You damn dyke, what are you doing here?' Or standing there forever--staring at a shot--and not getting it.

MGW: It's pretty clear what's going on in these pictures. What did they think these women were doing?

JG: Well, you remember the leg shot. We reproduced it on a board for the display. And this guy sat there for the longest time and looked, and looked, and looked. Finally after about ten minutes he said, 'So what do you sell here? Shoes?' The denial there was fascinating. It was so bad some days, I was getting depressed. I just couldn't believe the prejudice and ignorance.

MGW: But you sell hundreds and hundreds of cards today. What did you do to make It work?

JG: What we did was spend a whole bunch of money. We made an infomercial in a greeting card trade show directory. It looked like an ad. No one at the show had ever done this before. It worked like a charm. We had a buzzillion people come by to see the lesbians—see what we were up to. And all these sales reps started coming by and leaving their business cards. We directed attention to the gay market by showing the reps that there were already customers who would buy the cards.

MGW: So you started trying to convince them to do niche marketing?

JG: Right. And it worked.

MGW: When did you break even?

JG: That hasn't happened yet. We've increased our sales tenfold in the past four months. What I've noticed at the trade shows is that the straight businesses are really competitive with each other—while the gay companies tend to hang around each other and be more supportive. I continue to find this to be true in the gay community, but it's rare in the heterosexual community. For example, we were the only gay women who had a card line--all of the gay guys were great. We still contact the male card line owners for assistance from time to time. They've been really terrific.

MGW: I understand that printing was a problem for you too.

JG: We were turned down by several printing companies. The first company we had didn't want to do the job, but they were too wimpy to turn us down--so they did a really crumby job so we wouldn't come back. Some of the stuff is erotic, sure, but there's more to it than that. Some cards are funny, some are cute. Listen: There are stores carrying things that are straight and far more erotic.

MGW: All of this education you were providing to both the straight and gay public couldn't have come cheap. How much of your own money did you put into this?

JG: It's all my own. Every cent. It will be a long time before I'll make back my investment, but I think we may get to a point in six months or a year where it can run on its own, because I'm about a hundred and thirty thousand dollars in the hole.

MGW: Wow. A hundred and thirty thousand dollars.

JG: Yeah, this is not income, this is outgo. I'm not making a living, I'm making a spending. It's funny. I've had people come up to me and say they've been thinking about doing a card line—I just grin.

MGW: How are you distributed?

JG: Through our sales reps. Most of them are delivering to stores who have a pretty good lesbian and gay clientele.

MGW: Can people buy from you directly?

JG: Yes--we have a brochure. But we don't really want to be a mail order company.

MGW: You mentioned earlier about owning another successful business?

JG: I own a company called J Productions. J Productions produces and distributes the cards. What I've been doing for about fifteen years is writing. I've written a couple of books geared to helping people pass standardized dental exams. I'm self published in the books I print. That's what pays for this.

MGW: What broader image of the gay community would you like the world to have?

JG: I don't think we'll get anyplace with boxed-in stereotypical images. That's over with. I want America to have a broader view of who we are, and I support people who fit that broader view. The response has been phenomenal. Women have called me saying, 'I love what you are

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OUT ON FILM

Les Nuits Fauves — Savage Nights ▼▼▼½

Courtesy

The late Cyril Collard, actor, writer, director in the dynamic French-language film, *Les Nuits Fauves (Savage Nights)* now playing at Landmark's Sacramento Inn Cinemas.

1992, color, French, 126 mins.
Directed by **Cyril Collard**.
Starring **Cyril Collard, Romane Bohringer, Carlos Lopez, Corine Blue, Claude Winter, Rene-Marc Bini**.

Saint Paul is alleged to have said "All is pure for those who are pure." The late Collard's autobiographical *Savage Nights* is an unflinching and pure portrait of Jean, a 30 year-old bisexual with HIV who refuses to let the virus dictate his behavior.

Jean's belief that if he ignores his HIV status it will simply go away nearly takes a back seat to the film's glimpse into the furious jealousy that surrounds his bisexual relationships, and the thoughtful examination of the world of sadomasochism.

Jean's woman lover, Laura (Bohringer), completely loses her identity through her possessiveness, finally ending up in a sanitarium. His male lover, Samy (the gorgeous Lopez), upon discovering that he gets sexually stimulated after beating someone, continues throughout the movie to seek greater and greater sensual gratification.

Jean himself is tightly tethered to these two relationships, but nonetheless lets them both know he's promiscuous and doesn't intend to change.

Occasionally hard to follow because of an uneven flashback technique, one's patience pays off as Collard's deliberate kaleidoscope effect fully enhances the confusion and complexity of Jean's relationships. The movie is about the volatility of feelings and emotions out-of-control that neatly tangle the viewer through a painful, joyful process of introspection.

Collard has left a fascinating legacy that doesn't sugarcoat gay life just to avoid heterosexual, middle-American shock.

—Sonya Cox

Threesome ▼½

1994, color, 93 mins.
Directed by **Andrew Fleming**.
Starring **Lara Flynn Boyle, Stephen Baldwin, Josh Charles, Alexis Arquette, Martha Gehman**.

Tiresome.

—Erich Mathias

Courtesy

Stephen Baldwin stars in 1994s *Making Love* for the X-generation, *Threesome*. Instead, try the superb Bertrand Blier film *Menage* (1986) which stars Gerard Depardieu, Miou-Miou and Michel Blanc.

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SYMPHONY

Symphony's musical triangle a triumph

By Charles Peer
MGW/Staff

Conductor Geoffrey Simon described the most recent Masterwork Series Concert, held Apr. 1 & 2, as a musical triangle. Built on the strong short works of Ralph Vaughan Williams and Frank Martin and peaking with Beethoven's *Eroica*, the concert provided works that were evocative and colorful and masterfully performed.

Williams' *Fantasia on a Theme by Thomas Tallis* was written on a grand scale for a grand space. Originally performed in Gloucester Cathedral, it was designed to fill the space with music as majestic as the cathedral itself. This was accomplished partially through the use of three groups within the string orchestra.

The Sacramento Symphony was able to recreate this grandeur by placing a string group at the back of the orchestra and raising it on a platform. This helped to produce a rich spatial aspect to the work and was most effective.

Martin's *Concerto for Seven Wind Instruments, Timpani, Percussion and String Orchestra* is a relatively new work, composed in 1949 for the Bern Orchestra. Martin stated that he wrote the piece to display the musical qualities of the various soloists and made the music brilliant and technically difficult. It *was* that. It was also well performed and exciting.

It is believed that Beethoven wrote his *Symphony No. 3*, the third work of the night, as a tribute to Napoleon, but became disenchanted with Napoleon when he crowned himself emperor, and renamed the symphony *Eroica*. None of this disappointment is apparent in the symphony, however. It is filled with courage and nobility, a strong work that has been described as having changed the course of musical history.

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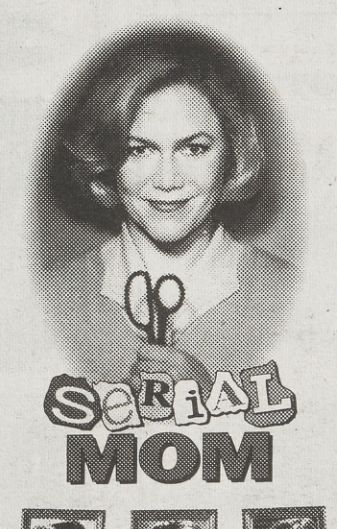

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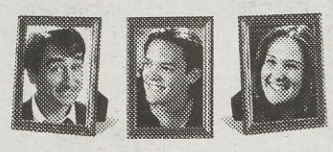

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By Sonya Cox
AIDS/HIV Editor

AZT questioned again...

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This finding casts a similar shadow across early use of DDC and DDI, antiviral medications used in the same manner as AZT. The researchers conducting the study in England say physicians around the globe are jumping the gun in prescribing combination therapy early in the HIV process.

AZT benefits people with AIDS symptoms, they say, buying them additional months of life. But HIV eventually develops a resistance to AZT, so taking it early could mean it may be useless during full-blown AIDS. (The Concorde study also showed that taking AZT early in the disease process delayed the onset of AIDS symptoms by an average of approximately 16 weeks, but left healthy individuals immune to it when they needed it during later stages of the disease.)

Burroughs-Wellcome, manufacturer of AZT, defends early use of the drug, both alone and in combination with DDI or DDC, but suggests that physicians and patients weigh all the available data and make the most appropriate decision for each individual.

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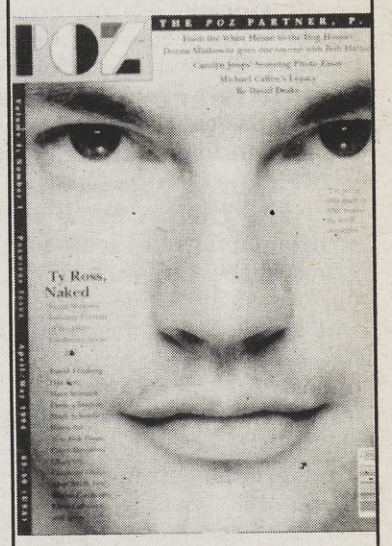

"The fight against AIDS has been made of thousands of small steps forward and thousands of small steps backward. POZ intends to be one of the small steps forward, to provide a better understanding of the disease and its impact on our society," said publisher Sean Strub. Info: 800/883-2163.

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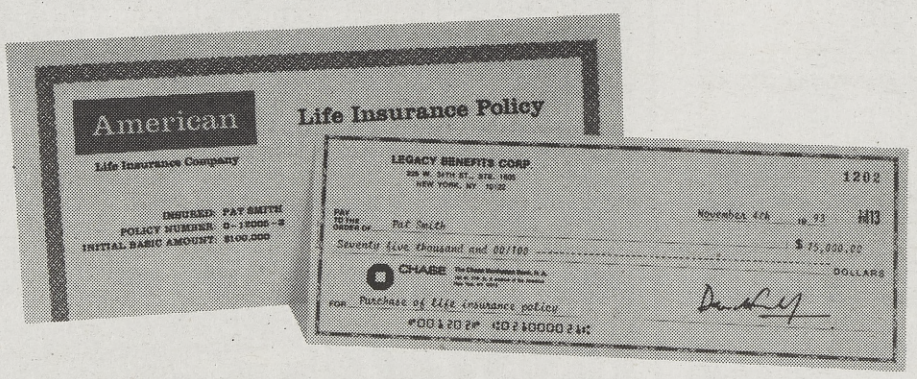

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PET TALK

Spring goes to the dogs

By Joan B. Guertin
MGW/Staff

Now that Spring is here—evidenced by blooms on the trees, budding flowers and drippy noses—it's the season for dog events; there are plenty to keep dog lovers happy.

April 17 marks the Sacramento Kennel Club's Spring Show at Cal Expo (from 8 am until 4 pm). It is an opportunity to see, learn and talk about your favorite breeds.

May 1 kicks off National

MGW/Joan Guertin
A Chinese Crested at Westminster

Pet Week and local dog owners can get in the act at the Canine Carnival (from 9 am until 4 pm) at William Land Park, corner of Riverside and 11th Avenue. The event is sponsored by the Sacramento Council of Dog Clubs to benefit the Council's education fund and Canine Companions for Independence.

Celebrities from the Sacramento media and sports world will be on hand for the event to judge contests and sign autographs. The Council will present its Parade of Dog Breeds and CCI will be on hand with their Service Dogs-in-training. Local vendors will have booths offering training tips, nutrition and health information. The Council will present the Canine Good Citizen test for those who wish to participate. There will be a raffle with major prizes, and the Lions Club will be on hand with hot dogs. There are some rules, however. All dogs must be on leash at all times except when competing. All dogs must be six months of age or older, and any dog exhibiting aggressive behavior will be required to leave. Info: 729-0568, 772-4243, 485-2201 or 331-8110.

If you're looking for a way to get some good exercise with your dog, check out Sacramento's 9th annual Dog-A-Thon on May 7, sponsored by Fort Sutter Lions and Capitol Lions Clubs for the benefit of Tri-Visual Services (for blind and visually impaired in our community). Call 447-7324 for info.

Also on May 7 is the Science Diet 1994 Davis Mutt Strut to benefit the Yolo Sheriff Animal Services Shelter. The race hotline is 757-6017.

The season also brings unwanted guests: namely, the flea. Special Touch Pet Grooming, located at 8216 Fair Oaks Blvd. They offer a choice of flea or aloe shampoo and a professional staff to help with questions. Call 944-4021 for information and hours. Ther are offering a $2-off coupon to introduce people to their new location and expanded services.

Have a happy Spring. Join the fun, exercise with your dogs and benefit some worthy causes. See you at the Canine Carnival!▼

Blush: 'You damn dyke...'

From pg. 13

doing.' We work hard to have a range of ages, and everything.

MGW: Has the business put stress on your relationship?

JG: No. Cathi is very involved in her own life. She's been supportive, but there is no direct competition between us.

MGW: What advice do you have for the entrepreneur or gay student?

JG: Be willing to go the long haul. Give yourself a realistic time frame. And realize that nothing is going to happen for the next two or three years. Have the tenacity to stick with it. You're also going to need financial backing, whether it's yours or someone else's. You have to work long, hard hours. You have to believe in yourself. There'll be days when you say, 'why am I doing this,' and you'll want to quit, but you have to stick with it.

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MGW: What Is the most exciting thing that will happen next for First Blush Cards?

JG: We just shipped our first order to Australia and have been featured in trade magazines, both there and in Great Britain. We are the only gay company that has done that. We've been in most of the gay magazines—*Deneuve, On Our Backs, Off Our Backs, On Our Side, The Advocate.*

MGW: What would you change?

JG: I can't think of a thing. We're growing and broadening our ideas. I've been approached by men to do a line for them, because—let's face it—most of the male cards are full frontal shots. There's a market for less explicit, high-quality photography.

MGW: Right.

JG: And there are guys who are in couples, or are a little older and want a more mature image. So we may broaden the line in that direction.▼

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Archaic Torso Of Apollo

By Rainer Maria Rilke

We cannot know his legendary head
with eyes like ripening fruit.
and yet his torso is still
suffused with brilliance from inside,
like a lamp, in which his gaze,
now turned low

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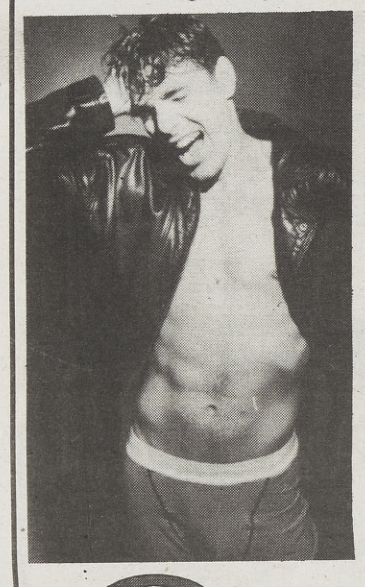

& Short Fiction

Uncommon Warrior

By Jewelle Gomez

I was born on the South Side of Chicago. I was born black and female. I was born in the depression after one world war, and came in my adolescence during another. While I was still in my teens the first atom bombs were dropped at Nagasaki and Hiroshima. And by the time I was twenty-three years old, my government and that of the Soviet Union had entered actively into the worst conflict of

CONTEST

RULES FOR ENTRY: Contestants must submit work no later than 12 noon on August 1, 1994. All work must be original, not under consideration for other publication or previously published. Poetry is limited to 500 words; no more than two poems per contestant. Photography may be black & white or color prints of not less than 11" x 14" in size, limit of two entries per contestant. Short fiction is limited to 1500 words; no more than two stories per contestant. Submissions may cover any subject matter the contestant desires. All entries will be considered by the editorial staff of MGW Newspaper, who will select three finalists in each area. Those three finalists will be considered for first, second and third place in their category by an independent panel (to be announced) of judges. The decision of these judges is final. Winners will be announced in the September 1, 1994 issue of MGW Newspaper. Because of space restrictions, the winning entries will be published over three consecutive issues beginning September 15, 1994. In addition to having their work published, first place winners in all categories will receive double-occupancy lodging for a 2 night, 3 day stay at the Langtry Bed & Breakfast in San Francisco, a gift certificate for a one year subscription to MGW Newspaper and 15 passes to Landmark's Tower Theatre or Sacramento Inn Cinemas. All second place winners will receive a gift certificate for a one year subscription to MGW Newspaper and 10 passes to Landmark's Tower Theatre or Sacramento Inn Cinemas. All third place winners will receive 2 passes to Landmark's Tower Theatre or Sacramento Inn Cinemas. Prizes may not be retrieved in cash or credit. No substitutions. First place winners will be restricted to the booking requirements of the Langtry Bed & Breakfast. Prizes will be forfeited unless claimed by October 1, 1994. Include your name, address and telephone number on all entries. Include a SASE with adequate postage if you want your work returned. Entries without name, address or phone number will not be considered, those without SASE will be discarded after consideration. All finalists will be notified in advance by mail and will be required to sign and return a waiver permitting MGW Newspaper to reprint their work. No work will be published that does not include an accompanying waiver.

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NEWS CLIPS

Justice Blackmun legacy

As Justice Harry Blackmun announced his retirement from the U.S. Supreme Court, the National Gay and Lesbian Task Force (NGLTF) praised his passionate defense of the right to privacy during his 24 years of service to the nation.

Justice Blackmun's defense of the right to privacy extended beyond his opinion in *Roe v. Wade* to his dissent in *Bowers v. Hardwick,* in which the Supreme Court denied that a fundamental right to consensual sexual intimacy between two adults of the same sex exists.

In his dissenting opinion in *Bowers v. Hardwick*, Justice Blackmun cited a previous case and wrote, "...This case is about 'the most comprehensive of rights and the right most valued by civilized men', namely, 'the right to be let alone.'"

"Depriving individuals of the right to choose for themselves how to conduct their intimate relationships poses a far greater threat to the values most deeply rooted in our Nation's history than tolerance of nonconformity could ever do. Because the Court today betrays those values, I dissent," he wrote.

"Administration official have discussed the need to ensure that the next Supreme Court appointee is able to build consensus on the Court," noted NGLTF Executive Director Peri Jude Radecic. "It is imperative that President Clinton appoint a consensus-builder who is also able to carry on Justice Blackmun's legacy of defending the right to privacy."▼

Columnist to address Log Cabin

Long time political columnist and San Francisco Bay Area activist Wayne Friday will address the next meeting of Log Cabin at Cheyenne's, 2721 Broadway, on Tuesday, Apr. 19 at 5:30 pm.

"For over 15 years, Wayne has been reporting on and analyzing news important to the gay and lesbian community through his weekly column in the Bay Area Reporter," said Marty Keller, interim President of the Republican volunteer orgainization Log Cabin, Sacramento. "His knowledge and insight will be of interest to all in Sacramento."

Friday has served every Mayor of San Francisco since George Moscone through his work on various Boards and Committees. At present he is the only openly gay member of the San Francisco Police Commission, having been appointed by Mayor Jordan in August 1993.▼

CALENDAR

APRIL

MGW Newspaper Calendar Listings Policy

Calendar listings are FREE to non-profit organizations. Listings must be made in writing (day, date, time, who, what, where, phone) by the 5th or 20th of each month. Listings are not taken over the phone.

15 - Friday

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CAFE LAMBDA Good Friends, Good Coffee & Desserts, and sometimes entertainment. 8pm, Lambda Center, 1931 L St. 442-0185.

ROCKY HORROR PICTURE SHOW The campy cult-classic. Live and on screen! $2 of every ticket goes to Lambda Youth. Midnight, The Colonial Theatre, 3522 Stockton Blvd. 737-7469.

FARRELL HAMANN RECEPTION 7-9 pm, Lambda Community Center. Acrylic paintings and other works. 442-0185, 641-7696.

H.E.A.L. TAX RELIEF DANCE 8pm, Clunie Club House, 442-0185.

SACRAMENTO PERFORMANCES "I Solisti di Zagreb" Chambr Orchestra of 14, Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament. 923-BASS.

OLDIES DANCE & CAR SHOW 7pm-midnight, $5, Towe Ford Museum, 2200 Front St., 442-6802.

16 - Saturday

GRAND OPENING William J. Kinney Police Facility 10am-2pm. Speaking: Mayor Joe Serna Jr., City Councilman Rob Kerth, County Supervisor Roger Dickinson & Chief of Police Arturo Venegas. 3550 Marysville Boulevard (at South Ave.)

SACRAMENTO FRONT RUNNERS A lesbian and gay running club. Morning run. All levels welcome. Jim 387-8275.

SADA NATIONAL DANCE WEEK WORKSHOP 1:30-5:30 pm, Broadway Academy for the Performing Arts, 4010 El Camino Ave. 448-5253.

YOUTH SOCIAL 8pm to midnight. Lambda Center, 1931 L St. 442-0185.

HIV+ SUPPORT GROUP with Marjorie Thirkettle, 4:30-6pm, RCMCC, 36th & Broadway, 737-3416.

CAMELLIA CITY PORCELAIN ARTS EXHIBIT through Sunday, Shepard Garden & Arts Center, 3330 McKinley Blvd. 443-9413.

IRIS FESTIVAL 8-5 pm, Roris Gardens, 8195 Bradshaw. 689-7460.

BEING GAY TODAY 10am, Cable Chan. 17.

FAIRY GODFATHERS Meeting, 1pm, Faces, 2000 K St. 568-7213.

POKER CLUB FOR WOMEN Call 649-1182.

AUTOMOBILE MUSEUM EXHIBIT through June 20. "HorsePower" featuring wooden wheels from horse-drawn carriages. National Automobile Museum, Reno (702) 333-9300.

DYKES OUT TOGETHER Day hike, Nancy, 454-5847.

"...AND DAVID DANCED" A spiritual and sacred music concert. 8pm, Sacramento Men's Chorus, First United Methodist Church, 21st & J Sts. 444-5213.

VALLEY BEARS Reno Bus Trip, 484-7840.

17 - Sunday

G.L.A.D. TOASTMASTERS Club, MCC, 34th & Broadway, North Hall, 12:30am, 362-9013.

BENEFIT CONCERT for Habitat for Humanity, 8 pm featuring Carón Vikre, Nûs, Emily Bezar, Murmur and Holiday Flyer. Guild Theatre, 35th & Broadway.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH High Mass, 10am. 1430 J St., 446-2620, 446-0804.

DYKES OUT TOGETHER Bicycle ride, leisurely along American River Bike Trail, Kim, 758-4575.

DRUMMING CIRCLES A gathering for folks to commune through sound and focus on healing. 3-6pm, The Wreck Room, 2513 Broadway, Wayne, 456-1181.

SAC KENNEL CLUB DOG SHOW 7am-4pm, Lot #26, Cal Expo. 973-8333.

SUTTER STREET ANTIQUE MARKET Folsom. 985-7452.

SPALDING GRAY STORYTELLING 8 pm; and Monday the 18th. $22, $7.50 UCD students. UC Davis Main Theatre. 752-1915.

PSYCHIC & HEALING ARTS FAIR 10am-5pm, Holiday Inn, 5321 Date Ave. (415) 626-6919.

HARRY M. TONKIM Memorial Chapel Series. The Capitol Chamber Players. $5, 3pm. Congregation B'nai Israel, 3600 Riverside Blvd.

18 - Monday

MEN'S COMING OUT GROUP Rap group concerning coming out and alternative life styles. 5:30pm. Lambda Center, 1931 L St. 442-0185.

WOMEN'S SOCIAL. Discussing life's challenges for lesbian and bisexual women. 7:15pm. Lambda Center, 1931 L St. 442-0185.

COMMUNITY SAFETY FORUM 6:30 pm, Blue Diamond Visitors' Center, 1701 C St. 444-5441.

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H.E.A.L. Health Education and Awareness for Lesbians, 7pm, Lambda Center, 1931 L St. 442-0185.

LESBIAN 12-STEP GROUP No fee, 7:15 - 8:45pm, Trinity Cathedral Church, nursery room, 2620 Capitol Ave., 488-8282.

19 - Tuesday

PFLAG Video: "Positive Image". Thomas Vasques of the Positive Gourmet speaks. 665-1058.

AIDS INTERFAITH NETWORK social hour/gen. mtg. Westminster Presbyterian Church, 1300 N St. 393-5367.

COMMON SENSE DOG TRAINING Puppy Kindergarten, 6:30pm, Beginning Obedience, 6:30pm, Advanced Puppy, 7:40pm, Intermediate, 7:40pm. SPCA, 6201 Florin Perkins Road. 485-2201.

20 - Wednesday

MATURE FOLKS 6:30 pm, Lambda Center, 1931 L St. 442-0185.

MEN OF COLOR 7pm, Lambda Center.

MEN'S FOCUS GROUP 7pm, Lambda Center.

YOUTH HIV OUTREACH 9pm-midnight, Bojangles.

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HIV AND NUTRITION: Three part series on Weds., Pt. 2. Sponsored by CARES and Mercy General Hospital. CARES, 2710Capitol Ave.

LGBA Bart Jones and Billy Boyd "The Benefits of Therapeutic Massage." 7pm, Carrows, J & 28th, 863-9733.

21 - Thursday

BEING GAY TODAY 10pm, Cable Chan. 17. Local, starring comic Danny Williams.

BEING ALIVE LIVING ROOM For PWAs, 2-5pm, Lambda Center, 1931 L St., 442-0185.

WOMEN'S COMING OUT GROUP 6pm. Lambda Center, 1931 L St., 442-0185.

GAY /LESBIAN ALLIANCE AT CSUS Alternating between general meetings and social outings. 7:30pm, Sacramento Room, University Union, CSUS, 6000 J St. 486-4633.

CODEPENDENTS ANONYMOUS A fellowship of men and women unable to maintain functional relationships. 7:30pm, Lambda Center, 1931 L St., 442-0185.

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SACRAMENTO SYMPHONY Pan Pacific: An Ocean of Music. 7:30pm, Sac City College Auditorium. 449-6950.

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FALSETTOS Music Circus Series Presentation, 8pm Friday & Saturday. Community Center Theatre. Tickets: 442-0185.

EARTH DAY ENVIRONMENTAL FAIR Kaiser-Morse Avenue. 973-6268.

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SACWN Today's Superstars, Sunnivia Sorby, 6:30pm. Carmichael recreation center, 575 grant Ave. 451-8034.

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CHANTICLEER W/AMERICAN BOYCHOIR 8pm, Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament, 1017 11th St. 920-1121.

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DAY OF ART AND ROSES tour of Woodland private rose gardens. Info: 752-8500.

SACRAMENTO AREA BISEXUAL NETWORK meeting, 6pm, Cafe New Helvetia, 19th & L sts, 863-3700.

HOMEBUYER'S SEMINAR 10am-1pm. Lambda Center, 1931 L St. 442-0185.

BAWATH 11am, Lake Merritt picnic, meeting & elections. (510) 814-6101.

CHANTICLEER American Boychoir. 8pm, Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament.

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24 - Sunday

PAT BOND MEMORIAL OLD DYKE AWARDS. Entertainment by Ronnie Gilbert, Mothertongue, Terry Baum and Karen Hirst. St. John's Presbyterian Church, 2727 College Ave, Berkeley. (415) 626-7000.

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SACRAMENTO SYMPHONY Fiesta: Music of the Americas. 7:30 pm, Sac City College Auditorium. 449-6950.

ROSE GARDEN TOUR Noon-4pm. Woodland, 662-3173.

YOUNG ARTISTS RECITAL Youth pianists and chamber ensembles. 3-4pm. Free after museum adm. Ballroom, Crocker Art Museum, 216 O St. 264-5423.

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27 - Wednesday

MEN'S FOCUS GROUP 7pm, Lambda Center, 1931 L St. 442-0185.

YOUTH HIV OUTREACH 9pm-midnight, Bojangles.

SACRAMENTO FRONT RUNNERS A lesbian and gay running club. Evening run. All levels welcome. Jim 387-8275.

MATURE FOLKS 6:30pm, Lambda Center, 1931 L St. 442-0185.

SAGA BINGO 6-10pm. Sandwiches available to order. Cheyenne's, 2721 Broadway. 371-6428.

HIV AND NUTRITION: Three part series on Weds., Pt. 3. Sponsored by CARES and Mercy General Hospital. CARES, 2710Capitol Ave.

MAD DOG RADIO, 6-8PM, KCBL 88.7FM. Call Mike, 456-5199 for requests.

28 - Thursday

BEING GAY TODAY 10pm, Cable Chan. 17. Momentum TV presented by the Human Rights Campaign Fund and Outlook.

BEING ALIVE LIVING ROOM For PWAs, 2-5pm, Lambda Center, 1931 L St., 442-0185.

WOMEN'S COMING OUT GROUP 6pm. Lambda Center, 1931 L St., 442-0185.

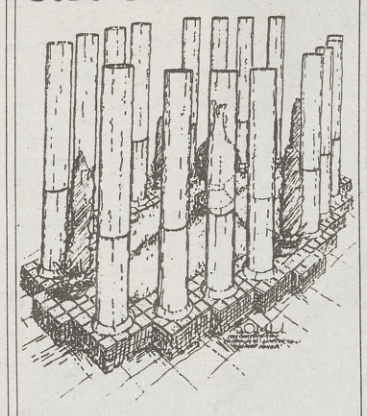
DALE SCHOLL DANCE/ART Spring concert: Relationships. 8pm; Friday & Saturday also. 483-4017.

GAY /LESBIAN ALLIANCE AT CSUS Alternating between general meetings and social outings. 7:30pm, Sacramento Room, University Union, CSUS, 6000 J St. 486-4633.

CODEPENDENTS ANONYMOUS A fellowship of men and women unable to maintain functional relationships. 7:30pm, Lambda Center, 1931 L St., 442-0185.

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS SERIES Nina Totenberg: "Covering the Supreme Court." 8pm, Freeborn Hall, UCD.

Sacramento gardener honored in S.F. show



David Yakish, owner of Gardenmakers, has been selected to design a garden for the San Francisco Landscape Garden Show April 20-24. Yakish's garden is called "Court of Honor", and includes an electric rainbow light show inside of the terra cotta columns. Info: 415/750-5105.

COMMON SENSE DOG TRAINING Puppy Kindergarten, 6:30pm, Beginning Obedience, 6:30pm, Advanced Puppy, 7:40pm, Intermediate, 7:40pm. 7465 Rush River Drive, in the Promenade Center. 485-2201.

29 - Friday

LES/BI/GAY YOUTH GROUP Support group for 23 years and under to discuss the challenges of growing up gay. 5pm. Lambda Center, 1931 L St. 442-0185.

BEING GAY TODAY 4pm, Cable Chan. 17.

CAFE LAMBDA Good Friends, Good Coffee & Desserts, and sometimes entertainment. 8pm, Lambda Center, 1931 L St. 442-0185.

ROCKY HORROR PICTURE SHOW The campy cult-classic. Live and on screen! $2 of every ticket goes to Lambda Youth. Midnight, The Colonial Theatre, 3522 Stockton Blvd. 737-7469.

FLAGS NIGHT OUT 6pm, Round Table Pizza, Elm Ave Shopping Center, Auburn. 624-8210.

BEING GAY TODAY 10am, Cable Chan. 17.

SACRAMENTO SYMPHONY CLASSICS Geoffrey Simon conducts the Symphony Chorus and Children's Chorus in Puccini's *La Boheme.* CCT, 449-6950.

OUTDOOR GEAR SWAP 10am-4pm, Nimbus Winery. 456-7423.

CACTUS & SUCCULENT SHOW thru Sunday, 2-6pm, Shepard Garden & Arts Center, 3330 McKinley Blvd. 443-9413.

POKER CLUB FOR WOMEN Call 649-1182.

CINCO DE MAYO dance & slave auction to benefit Stonewall Alliance Community Center. 9pm, Melody Hall, 621 1/2 Mangrove Ave, Chico. $7 per person. 893-3336.

CAMELIA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA Kaaren Erickson, soprano, Biodegradable: Music That's Good for the Environment. Pre-concert talks, 7:30, concert 8pm, Hiram Johnson High School Auditorium, 344-5844.

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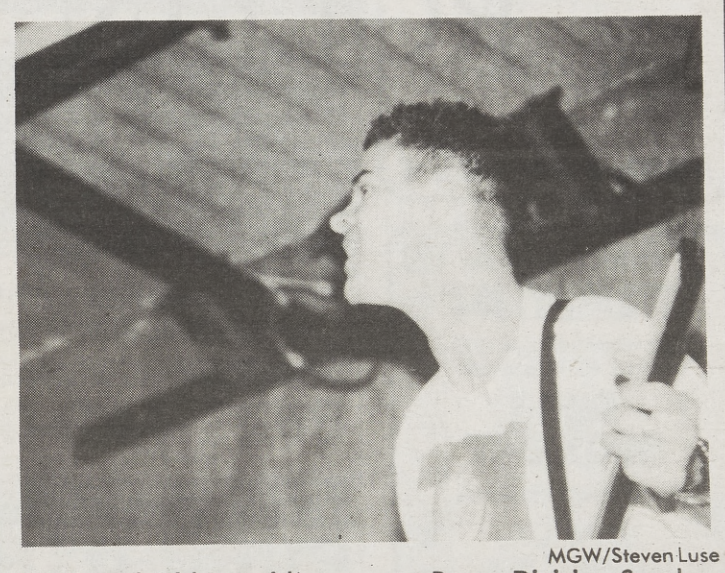

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KDVS and Old Ironsides present Pansy Division Sunday, Apr. 17 at Old Ironsides, 1901 10th St., Sacramento, beginning at 1:00 pm. Info: 443-9751.

WOMEN'S WEEKEND I The Russian River, 869-9000.

30 - Saturday

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YOUTH SOCIAL 8pm to midnight. Lambda Center, 1931 L St. 442-0185.

HIV+ SUPPORT GROUP with Marjorie Thirkettle, 4:30-6pm, RCMCC, 36th & Broadway, 737-3416.

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EVALUATION AND APPRAISAL DAY 10am-3:30pm. Crocker Art Museum, 216 O St. 264-5423.

DUKE & DUCHESS BALL '94 7pm, American Legion Hall, 1021 S. Santa Cruz, Modesto. (209) 544-0607.

CINDERELLA Dance Brigade, a tale of survival. 7:30pm, Luther Burbank Auditorium. 443-3734.

MASTER CALENDAR FOR GAY/LESBIAN/BI EVENTS

Russian River Women's Weekend	April 29
WEAVE Auction	May 5
CAP/PAC Annual Dinner	May 7
Sacramento County Fair	May 12-15
Bay to Breakers Run, 415-777-7770	May 15
AIDS Memorial Candlelight March	May 22
Sacramento Jazz Jubilee	May 27-30
Bay Area Gay Rodeo	May 27-30
Lambda Center Awards Dinner	June
Lambda Freedom Fair Celebration, Capitol Park, 442-0185	June 11
Capital AIDS Walk	June 12
Los Angeles Gay Pride Celebration	June 11-12
S.F. Gay/Lesbian Film Festival	June 9-19
Gay Games - New York	June 18-25
S.F. Gay Pride Parade	June 19
N.Y. Stonewall 25 March	June 26
California State Fair	Aug 19-Sep 5
Rainbow Festival Street Fair	September 4,
RCDC Lambda Awards Dinner	October
Castro Street Fair	October 2
National Coming Out Day	October 11
MGW Newspaper's 17th Anniversary, 441-6397	November
World AIDS Awareness Day/A Day Without Art	December 1
Snow White Champagne Ball for Women, 441-6397	December 11

THEATER

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ARC Theatre "Marat/Sade" Apr. 22-30; Student directed one act plays, May 6-7, 4700 College Oak Dr., 484-8234.

CSUS THEATRE "Dream on Monkey Mountain," Apr 15 - May 1; "Etta Jenks," May 5 -15. CSUS, 6000 J St. 278-6604.

DAVIS COMIC OPERA "Princess Ida," Apr 22-May 1. Veteran's Memorial theater, 14th & B Sts., 758-3262.

The Fantasy Theatre "The Fantasy Festival VIII" through May 21. The B Street Theatre, 2711 B St. 442-5635.

Foothill Actor's Theatre "Abundance" April 22 - May 7; "Death and the Maiden" Jun 3-18; "Hay Fever" Jul 15-Juy 14; "The Marriage of Bette & Boo" Jul 29 - Sep 3; "I Hate Hamlet" Sep 30 - Oct 22; "A Christmas Carol; Second Stage - "Jacques Brell is Alive and Well and living in Paris" Aug 9-31; "Ice Cream with Hot Fudge" Oct 4-19. Nevada City, 626-7888.

Garbeau's, "Love, Sex and the IRS," Til May 1: "Oklahoma!" May 6-July 10; "The Mousetrap," July 15-Sep 4; "Nunsense," Sep 9-Nov 13; "Rumors," Nov 18-Jan 8. 12401 Folsom Blvd., Rancho Cordova, 985-6361.

Lambda Players "Antigone," May 13 - Jun 11. "Eastern Standard," Jul 22-Aug 20, "Gertrude Stein," Jul 22 - Aug 20. YWCA Theatre, 1122 17th St., 442-7752. Tickets available at Community Center Ticket Office.

Music Circus Broadway Series "Falsettos," Apr 19 - 24, "Tommy," May 31 - Jun 5. "Lunch" Jul 11-17; "Show Boat" Jul 18-24; "Guys and Dolls" Jul 25-31; "The Secret Garden" Aug 1-7; "Camelot" Aug 8-14; "Big River" Aug 15-21; "The King and I" Aug 22-28. Community Convention Center Theater, 14th & L Sts. 557-1999.

SAC City Actors Theater, "Our Town," Apr 15 - May 14: Storytime Theatre - "Aladdin," Til Apr 30. 3835 Freeport, 558-2228.

Sacramento Theater Co. "The Grapes of Wrath," Til April 22, "The Tavern," Til April 24, "A Cappella," Til May 15, "The Imaginary Invalid," May 10-June 5, 1419 H St., 443-6722.

Studio Theatre "Robin Hood," May 6 - 28; "Pajama Game," Aug 12 - Sep. 3; "You Can't Take It With You," Nov. 4 26; "Nutcracer Ballet," Dec. 2- 18. 127-A Bank St., Grass Valley, 273-2730.

The Studio Theatre "Finally Wanna Dance," Til May 7, 4469 D. St. Sac. 455-4676

Theater Rhinoceros "Out of the Inkwell," Til Apr 23. "The Sensational Sin Sisters," Til Apr 23. "Beyond Baghdad," May 19- Jun 25. 2926 16th St., S.F., 415-861-5079.

GALLERIES

Abreu Gallery, 3712 Auburn Blvd., 488-1211.

Archival Framing Gallery, "Gathering Time," through May 7. L St., 444-9624.

African American Art Center 3449 Watt Ave. 485-4516.

American River College Student show, Apr 19 - May 13, 4700 College Oak, 484-8433.

Big Art Works Anthony Montanino and Jane Maule Nichols, paintings, through May 6. 1928 L St. 446-2740.

Capitol Cafe "Ancient Secrets II," Carol Attoe ceramic sculpture. Til Apr 16. 6th Flr. State Capitol.

Center for Contemporary Art 1116 15th Street., 448-6269.

Crocker Art Museum Himovitz Exhibition, thru April 24. 216 O St., 264-5423.

CSUS Gallery Jim Hake Sculpture, through Apr 29; Student show and sale, May 2-26, University Union, 6000 J St. 278-7250.

Dexter Smith Studio New Paintings, April; Guest artist show, May; "Legends" Exhibit, June, 1727 I St. 447-6209.

Dukes Coffee Gallery J.P. Wright, b&w photography show, "More Than Love", through May 13. 2416 16th St. 444-5563.

Inland Boat Club Elizabeth Warren "Patterns of Life," through May 7. 1704 Broadway. 447-9227.

The Luggage Store Gallery, "Family Album" Steve Compton and Lenore Chinn. Jun 8-Jul 1, 6-9pm, 1007 Market St, 2nd Flr., SF. 415-255-5971.

Luna's Cafe 1414 16th St. 448-1303.

Matrix Gallery Matrix International '94, juried exh. through Apr 22. 1725 I St. 441-4818.

Michael Himovitz Gallery 3D Group Exhibition. Through May 7. 1020 10th, 448-8723.

Richard L. Nelson Gallery, Lynn Hershman through May 20; Master of Fine Art, June 3-Jul 1. UCD, 752-8500.

Peach Pit Gallery 1020 22nd St, 443-4025.

Sacramento History Museum 101 I St, 264-7057.

The Shenandoah Gallery 12300 Steiner Rd., Plymouth, 209-245-4455.

Solomon Dubnick Gallery Jeff Myers oil paintings, Til Apr 30. 2131 Northrop. 920-4547.

UCD Design Gallery. "Picnic Day Show" through Apr 29; "Fibrous Raiments" May 16 Jun 17. 752-6223.

Viewpoint Gallery Ron Wisner Exhibit through Apr 23. 708 57th St. 451-3063.

Weintraub Hunter Gallery Christine Peirano, through-May 7, Susan Keizer, May 14-Jun 4: "Box Show", Various Artists Jun 11-Jul 2: "Introductions '94" Various Artists, Jul 9-Aug 6. .1723 J St. 442-3360.

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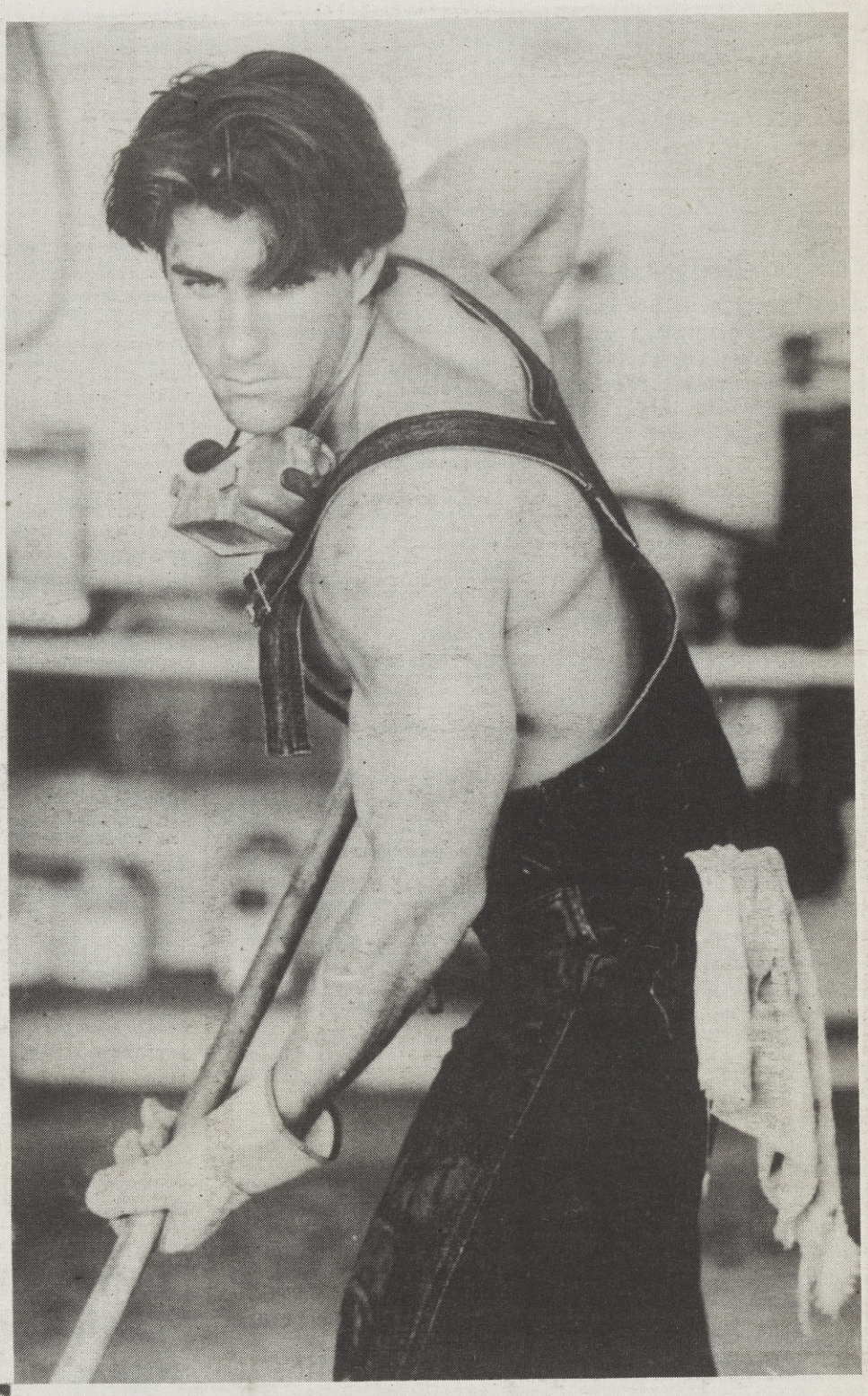

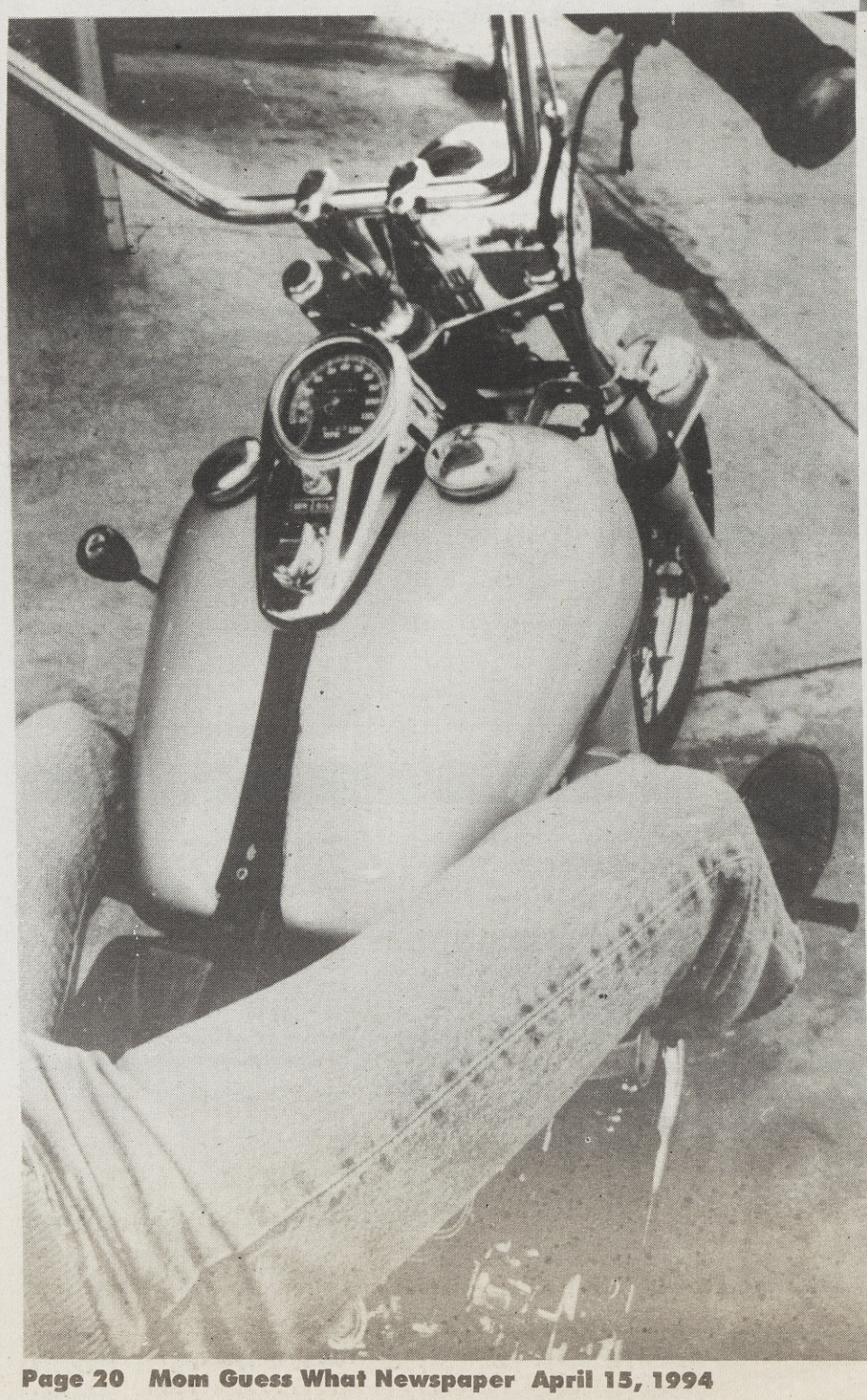

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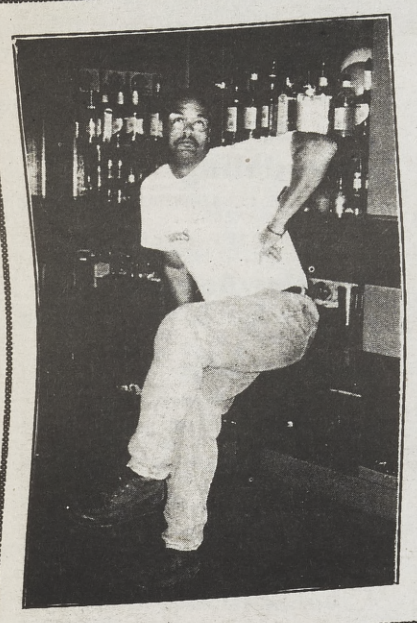

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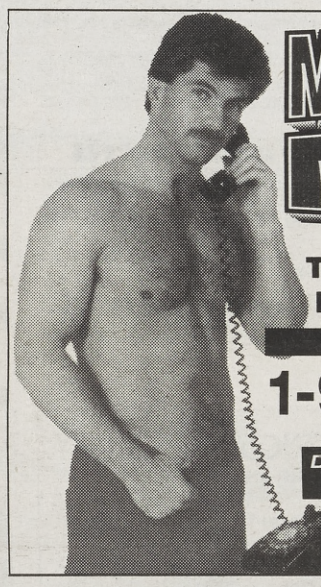

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Sacramento **BRING ON MR. RIGHT!:** GWM, 32, seeks another GWM. Let's be good friends and maybe start a relationship. Into cuddling and bubble baths. ☎24356

Sacramento **COUPLE, 26, 28:** Seeking good looking guys around here. We have a hot tub to take care of. ☎20044

Sacramento **EITHER SIDE OF THE CAMERA:** 28 yr old into posing for pictures and videos. I am open-minded and seek same. ☎24536

Sacramento **JOCKS A+:** Masc Italian jock with a flattop seeks another guy, 18-23. ☎24902

Sacramento **STUD BOLT:** 6'2", 180, brn/brn. Hawaiian/Spanish guy. Into the outdoors, biking, the beach, surfing and working out. I am a paramedic and student. ☎24957

Sacramento **THREE'S COMPANY:** 18-30 yr olds sought by a couple of well-groomed guys. Call us at home. ☎20044

Sacramento **THE COMMITMENT:** 27 yr old, brn/brn, 6'5", 150. Big guy likes biking, camping and music. Seeking a guy to cruise California with this summer. ☎25277

Sacramento **HOT REDHEAD:** I am seeking a guy 20-30s who is into men. Call me. Built A+. ☎25219

Sacramento **TWO, THREE, MORE?:** Seeking guys for moresomes. I am hry, 31 and attractive. ☎23229

Sacramento **READY TO SETTLE DOWN:** 33 yr old blk male, 5'11", 145, pos, seeking a friend and a possible relationship. Pos A+. ☎23285

Sacramento **YOU NAME IT:** GWM, early 30s seeks couples for fun. I am into most scenes and a hot time. ☎20164

Sacramento **NICE GUY:** 42 yr old GWM, sincere and romantic seeks same under 45 for a friendship or relationship. ☎23406

Sacramento **IT STARTED WITH MY SISTER'S CLOTHES:** Seeking late 20's crossdresser. Call me. ☎19419

Sacramento **HEY NOW!:** 40 yr old deadhead bear. Seeks OTHER ONES who got on the bus. Kindred souls call for good times. We are everywhere! ☎19649

Sacramento **LET IT GROW:** 26 yr old Wiken into hiking, camping and horticulture. Seeking 25-35 yr olds interested in a possible relationship. ☎19693

Fair Oaks **POLAROID PALS:** Seeking yng guys 18-30 for a photo exchange. ☎19810

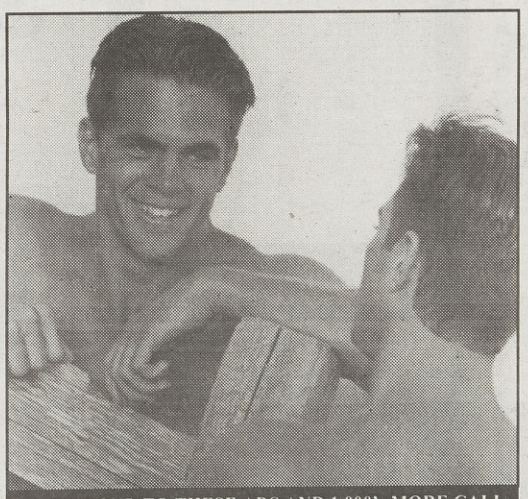
Sacramento **WILLING SON:** Seeking a daddy bear to be my buddy, sir. ☎19986

Sacramento **COUPLE, 28-26:** Seeking ht times with some open-minded guys. ☎20044

Sacramento **COUPLE:** seeks guys who are ready to laugh, have fun and will do anything you want. ☎20487

Sacramento **SWEET TEEVEEs:** Seeking a yng sweet TV or TS for possible relationship. I am blonde/blue stached, 5'11" and trim. Please call. ☎20576

Sacramento **FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED:** My friend and I seek a blk man 18-25. Please call us. We are 25 and 26 and very good looking. You won't be disappointed. ☎20628



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SLIM WAIST: 26 year old Asian guy with a 29 in. waist seeks 22-29 YO under 5'9". ☎19126

CARE GIVER: Jim, 41, is seeking a son. I will take care of you. Into just plain fun. ☎15469

MIDTOWN: Couple in their 30's seeks other guys or couples for a good time. ☎15578

ALL AMERICAN: 23 year old, 5'10", blde/brn seeking similar. ☎11159

DOUBLE DOSE: Couple seeks a nice bodied couple or individual. We are 19 and 22. Call us at home. ☎11669

KICK IT, MAN: 5'10", 170 and musc. Clean-shaven guys seeks others to kick it with. Call me at home. ☎12556

HONEY, I'M HOME: Seeking a sensible guy under 27 for movies, dancing and skiing. I would like to have someone to come hame to. ☎12599

ABSOLUTE BEGINNINGS: Chris, 39, is seeking someone stable and secure. I don't have a lot of experience, but am ready to learn. ☎12695

YOU MAKE THE CALL: 27 year old seeks a man over 30 for a relationship or just plain fun. ☎12781

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ANYWAY YOU WANT IT: 25 YO white guy seeks vers guys. Please call me. ☎13901

ALL CREATURES: 35 year old brn/blu and stached. I am mod hair with a swimmer's build. I like movies and dancing. I am an animal lover. ☎14488

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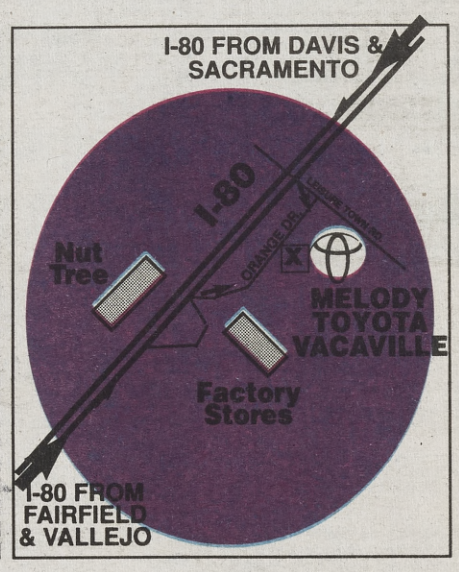

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